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PHOTOSEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR DRIVING  
PHOTOSEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

**RESPONSE TO THE RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**  
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Official Action dated **January 28, 2005**.

In the Action, restriction is required between Group (I), Claims 1-25 and 31-40; Group (II), Claims 26-30; and Group (III), Claims 41-48.

Applicants hereby provisionally elect, without traverse, the subject matter of Group (I), Claims 1-25 and 31-40, for prosecution in this application. Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected subject matter under 35 USC 120 and 35 USC 121.

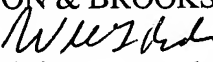
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In the event any additional fees are required in connection with this response, please  
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